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SUBJECT: BURUNDI WILL VOTE WITH EU, VATICAN, AND U.S. ON
"DEFAMATION OF RELIGIONS" RESOLUTION

REF: SECSTATE 122637

¶1. Burundi will support the U.S. position on the "Defamation of Religions" resolution, according to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs' Director General for International Organizations, Adolphe Nahayo. In Ambassador Nahayo's December 3 meeting with PolOff, Nahayo explained that Burundi wishes to work well with the Vatican, EU, and U.S. by voting with them on this resolution.

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